



# HANDPICKED® WINES



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## Numbered Series

### No. 1 Victoria

#### Shiraz

*We are a family-owned Australian winery passionate about crafting top-quality wines that offer a true sense of place, but we are inherently not based in a single place! The Mornington Peninsula is home to our winery and flagship vineyard Capella, but our winemaking spreads to our vineyards across the country - from Barossa Valley to Tasmania - and beyond.*

#### VINTAGE

2015

#### GRAPE VARIETIES

97% Shiraz,  
3% Tempranillo and Pinot Noir

#### ORIGIN

Victoria, Australia

#### CRAFTING & AGEING

Each parcel of fruit was vinified and matured separately to maintain the integrity of each site and provide optimum choice at blending. The fruit was fermented in temperature-controlled open fermenters and was hand plunged.

The wine was matured in Sirugue barrels for their ability to bring out the best in spicy, full-fruited wines and a small selection of other coopers were used for added complexity.

The key stage of blending began about nine months into the journey and many hours were spent at the tasting bench seeking a perfect harmony in the many elements that together make a truly great wine.

#### AROMA & PALATE

An intriguing amalgam of raspberries and blackberries, cracked black pepper and the sweet aroma of rich, organic-fuelled soil. Perfectly ripe raspberries and blackberries explode on the palate, which is round and seductive with well integrated French oak acting as seasoning to the savoury notes. The wine opens up to reveal elegant fine tannins in unison with the fresh berry flavours. Powerful, refined and full of generosity, this is a wine of great balance and complexity

#### SERVING & FOOD PAIRING

Beef Brisket, Marinated Flank Steak.

Serving temperature:  
16°C - 18°C | 60 - 64°F

Cellar potential: 2030

#### ANALYSIS

Alcohol: 14.2% v/v

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